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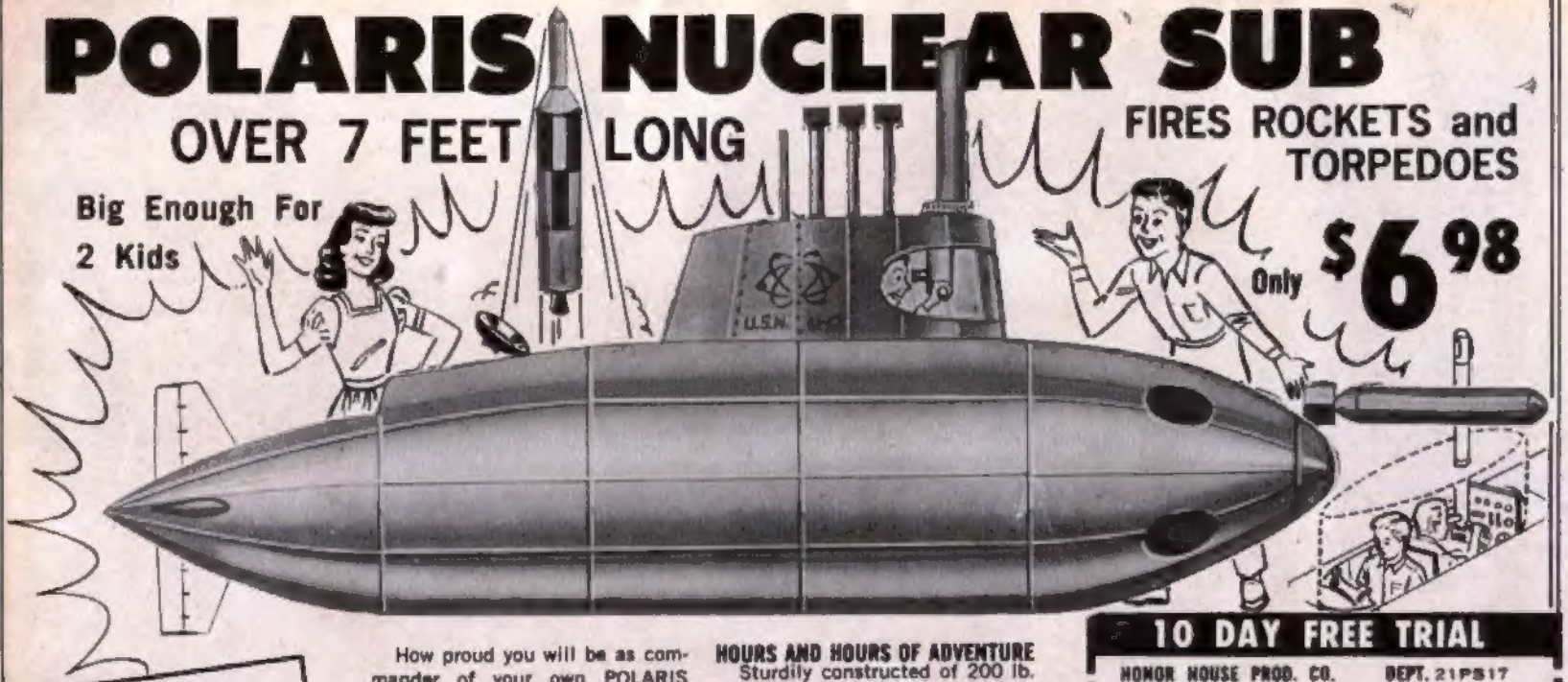

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the CURSE of HUSFAT!

UGH! THIS FELLOW'S NAME IS HUSFAT, ONE OF THE EGYPTIAN GODS IN THE MIDDLE KINGDOM, 4000 YEARS AGO! HE DIDN'T EXPECT ANIMAL SACRIFICES OR ANYTHING LIKE THAT... HE WANTED CASH AND THE EGYPTIANS BROUGHT IT IN BY THE BUSHEL! HUSFAT'S TOMB WAS BURIED FOR 40 CENTURIES, PROTECTED BY A CURSE AND THE EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT, WHICH REFUSED TO ISSUE A PERMIT TO THESE TWO ARCHEOLOGISTS TO GO MESSING AROUND THE RUINS! DR. EADS, THE BOSSMAN, STAYED AWAY FROM HUSFAT... BUT LEONARD LUND WENT AND EXCAVATED HIS WAY INTO MUMMIE'S COOKIE JAR!
LEONARD, ARE YOU MAD? WE'LL BE THROWN IN PRISON IF THEY LEARN WE CAME IN HERE!
SHUT UP, YOU OLD FOOL! SEE THE TREASURE OF HUSFAT?
CURSE OR NO CURSE, I'M TAKING THAT OUT OF HERE!
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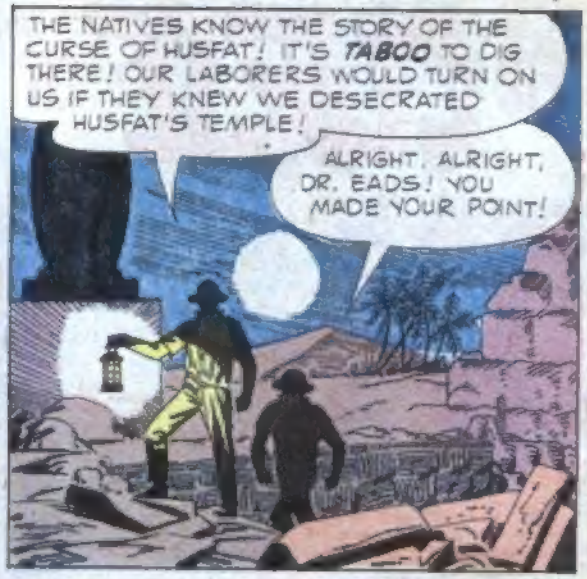
NOW, HUSFAT WAS A NASTY FELLOW WITH TWO SETS OF ARMS, WHICH TERMINATED IN FOUR TALONED HANDS...NO DOUBT BECAUSE HE WAS A GREEDY CHAP WHO GRABBED EVERYTHING IN SIGHT! BUT TAKE ANOTHER LOOK... THERE ARE FIVE ARMS NOW... AND ONE IS MOVING!
THE RUBY... I MUST HAVE IT!

COME ON, WE'VE GOT TO GET OUT OF HERE AND SEAL UP THIS TOMB!
YOU FOOL, THERE'S A FORTUNE IN THERE!


THE NATIVES KNOW THE STORY OF THE CURSE OF HUSFAT! IT'S TABOO TO DIG THERE! OUR LABORERS WOULD TURN ON US IF THEY KNEW WE DESECRATED HUSFAT'S TEMPLE!
ALRIGHT, ALRIGHT, DR. EADS! YOU MADE YOUR POINT!

WE'LL PUTTER AROUND WITH MUMMIES AND OLD VASES WHEN WE COULD BE STUFFING OUR POCKETS WITH GOLD AND JEWELS!

THE RUBY FROM HUSFAT'S FOREHEAD... THAT'S WHAT I REALLY WANT!

THE RUBY'S INNER FIRE HAS INFLAMED THIS YOUNG ARCHEOLOGIST'S BRAIN! HE LIES THERE, OBSESSED BY THE MEMORY OF IT... I MUST HAVE IT, HE MURMURS. IT MUST BE MINE!

WHO'S THERE?

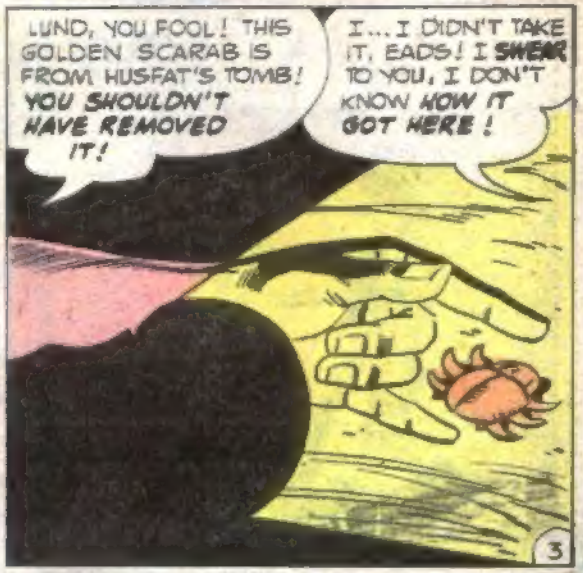
IF THIS IS A JOKE, SOMEONE'S GOING TO GET HURT!

C-COBRA!

BAM!
BAM!

WHAT'S WRONG, LUND? WHAT IS IT?
KING COBRA... I GOT IT!

DR. EADS' FLASHLIGHT SWEPT THE AREA! THERE WAS NO TRACE OF A SNAKE, OR HUSFAT!
THERE'S NO SNAKE, LUND! YOU HAD A BAD DREAM!


LUND, YOU FOOL! THIS GOLDEN SCARAB IS FROM HUSFAT'S TOMB! YOU SHOULDN'T HAVE REMOVED IT!
I... I DIDN'T TAKE IT, EADS! I SWEAR TO YOU, I DON'T KNOW HOW IT GOT HERE!
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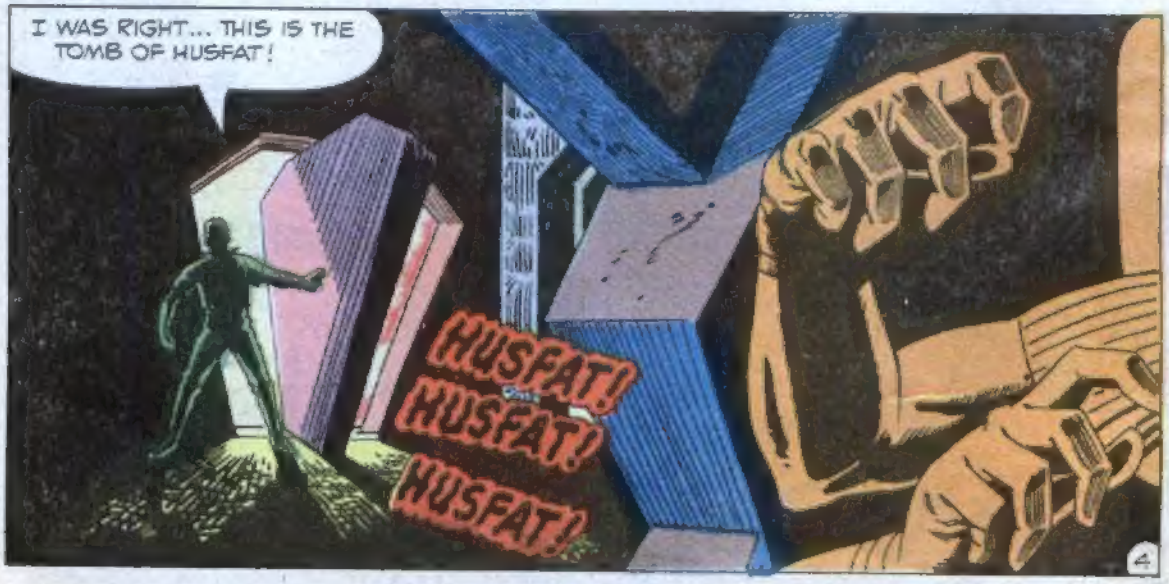
DR. EADS TOOK THE SCARAB WITH HIM... AND LEONARD LUND IS LEFT ALONE TO REMEMBER THE SHADOW IN HIS TENT... AND THE HUGE COBRA WHICH HAD TURNED OUT TO BE ONLY A BAD DREAM... OR IS THAT WHAT IT WAS? IF SO? WHERE DID THE GOLDEN SCARAB COME FROM?

THAT WAS A LONG NIGHT FOR LEONARD LUND! BUT MORNING ALWAYS COMES AND...
TAKE THE NUMBER 2 CREW AND START EXCAVATING THE NORTH SIDE OF THE TEMPLE, LEONARD!

FATE PLAYED INTO LEONARD LUND'S HANDS. HE FINDS A DOOR... AND KNOWS THIS MUST BE ANOTHER ENTRANCE TO HUSFAT'S TEMPLE!
NIJLAT, TAKE THE MEN AND GO HAVE YOUR MEAL! I DO NOT NEED YOU ANY MORE TODAY!

IT'S MOVING...


I WAS RIGHT... THIS IS THE TOMB OF HUSFAT!
HUSFAT!
HUSFAT!
HUSFAT!
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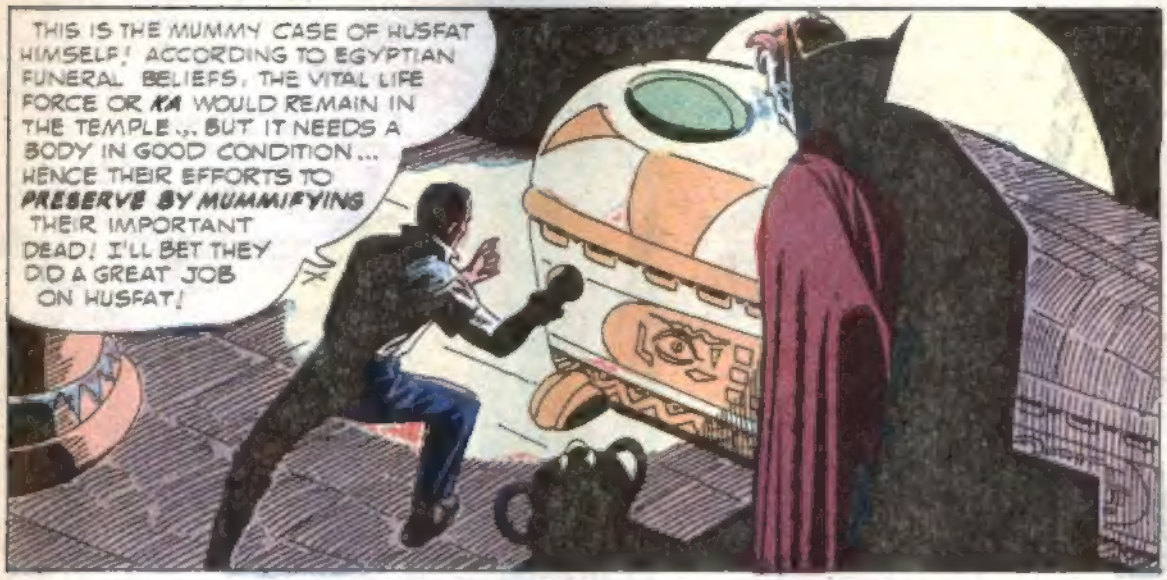

THIS IS THE MUMMY CASE OF HUSFAT HIMSELF! ACCORDING TO EGYPTIAN FUNERAL BELIEFS, THE VITAL LIFE FORCE OR KA WOULD REMAIN IN THE TEMPLE ... BUT IT NEEDS A BODY IN GOOD CONDITION ... HENCE THEIR EFFORTS TO PRESERVE BY MUMMIFYING THEIR IMPORTANT DEAD! I'LL BET THEY DID A GREAT JOB ON HUSFAT!

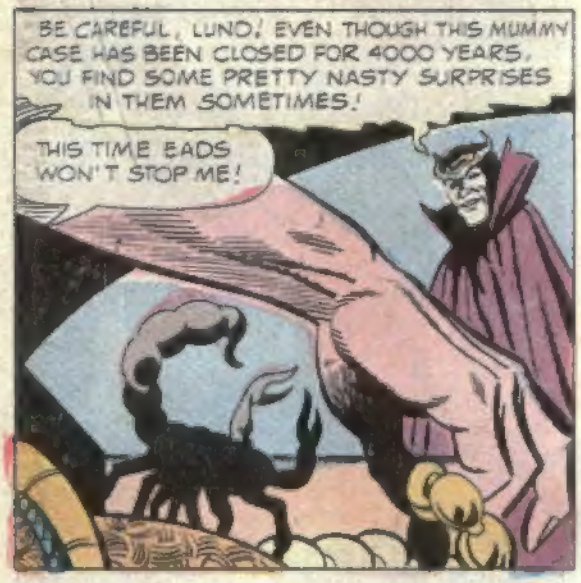
ENOUGH OF THAT! WHAT I WANT IS THE JEWELS...

BUT THE TREASURE CASKETS ARE NO LONGER THERE! AND FOOTSTEPS IN THE ANCIENT DUST LEAD TO THE MUMMY CASE OF HUSFAT!
EADS DOUBLE-CROSSED ME! HE CAME BACK HERE FOR THE TREASURE... AND CARRIED IT DOWN THOSE STAIRS TO THE MUMMY CASE!

THE FOOL... I'D DO ANYTHING FOR THAT MONEY... TAKE ANY RISK!

FOUND THE TREASURE! THAT'S FUNNY...

...THERE'S NO MUMMY IN HERE! FIRST TIME WE EVER FOUND A MUMMY CASE WITHOUT A MUMMY!


BE CAREFUL, LUND! EVEN THOUGH THIS MUMMY CASE HAS BEEN CLOSED FOR 4000 YEARS, YOU FIND SOME PRETTY NASTY SURPRISES IN THEM SOMETIMES!
THIS TIME EADS WON'T STOP ME!

YAAAAAAHH!!! SCORPION... BITE MY HAND!

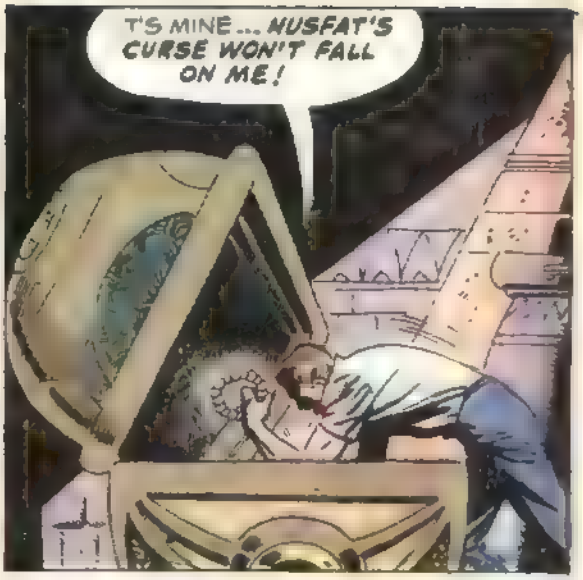
LUND! I WARNED YOU NOT TO COME BACK HERE!

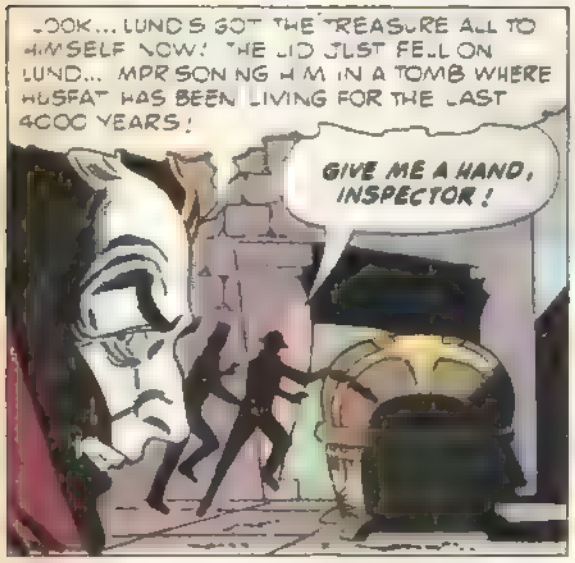
BUT LEONARD'S GREED IS GREATER THAN HIS FEAR! HE IS UNDER A SPELL NOW ... PERHAPS THE CURSE OF HUSFAT!
KEEP BACK! THE TREASURE IS MINE!
BAM!

THE RUBY... GOT TO TAKE THE RUBY WITH ME!

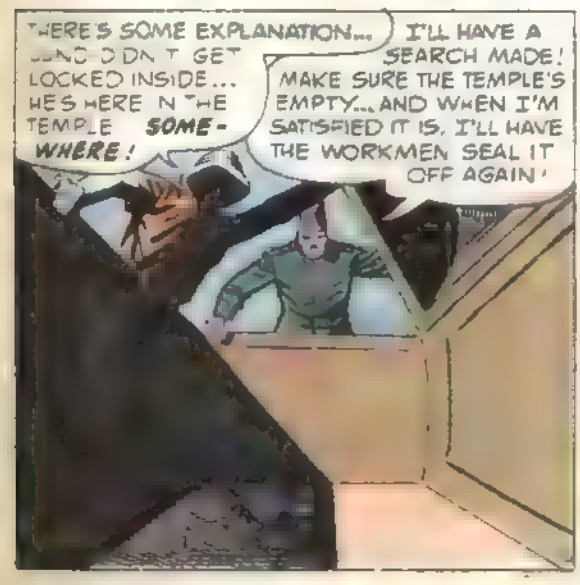
YEEEAAAH! IT'S THE COBRA AGAIN!
LOOK... LUND IS TRYING TO STEAL HUSFAT'S SACRED RUBY!
WHAT THE DEVIL IS HE FIRING AT? THERE'S NOTHING THERE!
BAM!
BAM!
BAM!

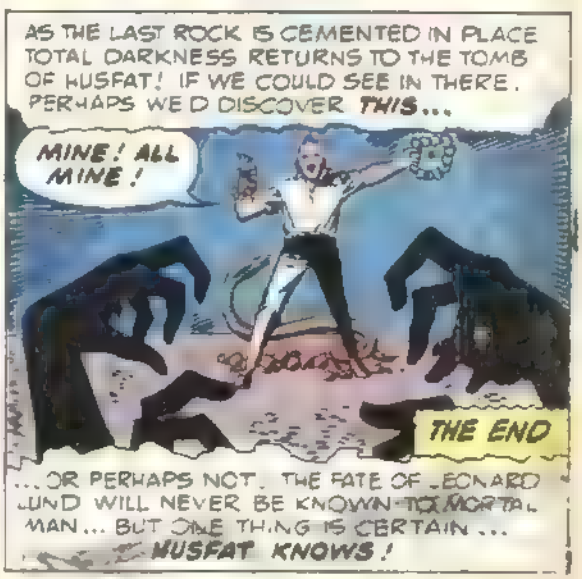
THE PANICKING THIEF FIRES WILDLY AT DR. EADS AND THE WORKMEN, DRIVING THEM BACK...


T'S MINE... HUSFAT'S CURSE WON'T FALL ON ME!


LOOK... LUND'S GOT THE TREASURE ALL TO HIMSELF NOW! THE LID JUST FELL ON LUND... IMPRISONING HIM IN A TOMB WHERE HUSFAT HAS BEEN LIVING FOR THE LAST 4000 YEARS!
GIVE ME A HAND, INSPECTOR!

T.. I DON'T BELIEVE IT!


THERE'S SOME EXPLANATION... LUND DIDN'T GET LOCKED INSIDE... HE'S HERE IN THE TEMPLE SOMEWHERE!
I'LL HAVE A SEARCH MADE! MAKE SURE THE TEMPLE'S EMPTY... AND WHEN I'M SATISFIED IT IS, I'LL HAVE THE WORKMEN SEAL IT OFF AGAIN!


AS THE LAST ROCK IS CEMENTED IN PLACE TOTAL DARKNESS RETURNS TO THE TOMB OF HUSFAT! IF WE COULD SEE IN THERE, PERHAPS WE'D DISCOVER THIS...
MINE! ALL MINE!
THE END
...OR PERHAPS NOT. THE FATE OF LEONARD LUND WILL NEVER BE KNOWN TO MORTAL MAN... BUT ONE THING IS CERTAIN... HUSFAT KNOWS!

MARTIANS MASTERS

Utsmo, Viceroy and Governing-General of Earth looked at the small group of Earthlings that were assembled before him. The time had come to give them the decision reached by the Martian Council.

"We feel that it is utterly useless and a waste of our precious time and abilities to try to do anything with you creatures," he began. "Our experts feel your inferiority is so inbred in you that it would be best to wipe all of you out. So next week we shall destroy the surface of your planet and with it what you call human life. We see no reason why we should make any exception in your case. When we conquered Venus we wiped out all the Venutians and we did the same with Saturn.

"Why not go back to your own planet and leave us alone. You don't bother us and we won't bother you," interrupted the voice of Dr. Carl Wilson, chairman of the Earth group.

"Shall I kill him for his insolence?" asked one of the Martian guards at the side of the Viceroy.

"We have an old Martian saying," smiled Utsmo, "That we can afford the luxury of a loose tongue to one who is about to die. So speak what is on your mind."

"Actually the only reason why you feel we are so inferior," continued Dr. Carl Wilson, "is that you conquered us and kept us under your domination for the past five years. Suppose we had conquered you? And just remember that for a short time it almost seemed as though we might defeat you. Had we won, would you have acknowledged that we were superior to you?

"I do not talk about impossibilities," snapped back the Viceroy with evident anger in his voice. "We Martians have never been defeated nor shall we ever be conquered. We are the master race of the Universe!

"What about the hostages you took back to Mars?" continued Dr. Carl Wilson. "Will you also kill them?

"They are all dead," explained the Viceroy. "We sent them out to our desert area to work, but it was too much for them.

"My son was among that group," interrupted the voice of Professor John MacCready, a member of the Earthling Group. "Seems to me that you really are afraid of us. No doubt there has been a variety of rumors that we were planning to rise in revolt. So kill all of us and you figure that would end things. But assume that we did rise in revolt and managed to defeat you. Would you expect the same treatment you plan for us?"

"Enough of this nonsense," shouted the Viceroy. "I repeat what I said. I do not talk about impossibilities. Guard, do what you wanted to do before. Rid me of these two men.

As the guard went for his weapon, Dr. Carl Wilson held out his hand. There was a small object pointed at the Martian. A brief flash and he was no more!

"I can do the same to you," taunted Dr. Carol Wilson. "At this moment our followers are in revolt. Using the weapon I have invented we are destroying all your spaceships, your soldiers, and your barracks. Turn your dial on your visuo screen and see what is left of your main army depot. Nothing but a hole in the ground.

Beads of perspiration began to form on the forehead of Utsmo. Somehow he knew the truth was being spoken to him. His trembling hand touched the dial and a picture appeared on the screen. Nothing but a hole in the ground. He switched to other pictures and the result was the same. The massive Martian warfleet was no more.

"To show the Martians that we are determined in what we are doing, we will demonstrate our weapons on your planet. If we are opposed we shall destroy everything," added Professor John MacCready. "You will go as our messenger and talk with your people. Explain to them that by their own definition we are now the superior race. You will sit on a special war-peaceboard. We shall let you decide just what we are going to do with the Martians. A bit of irony but it will serve its purpose. Do you accept?"

The Martian who had been the conqueror was now the conquered. He had to collect his thoughts in a hurry. And there was a thought about his wife and family on Mars. He found the words hard to utter and forced them pass his lips.

"I accept

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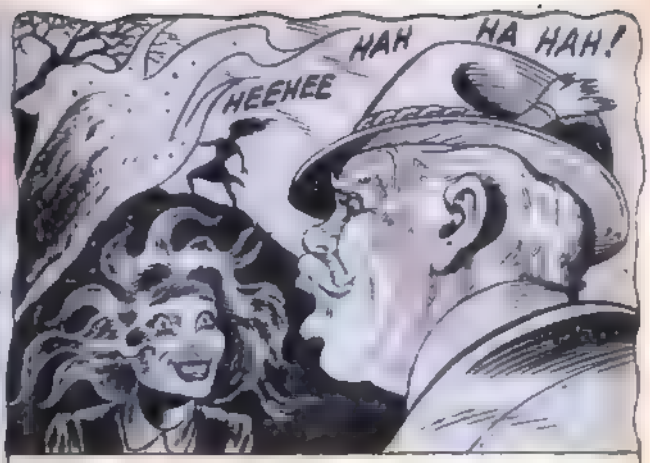
INDEED? YOU PROMISED TO EXPLAIN THE NATURE OF THE VARIOUS SUPERNATURAL FORMS DR. GRAVES.
Bache
A SAD
SOMETIMES WHEN CONDITIONS ARE FAVORABLE A GHOST MIGHT BE OBSERVED. A GHOST IS SIMPLY AN APPARITION OF A DEAD PERSON!
DO YOU BELIEVE IN GHOSTS, DR. GRAVES?
ABUNDANT PROOF EXISTS, MR SMITH! A MAN WOULD HAVE TO BE A FOOL TO DISREGARD SUCH TESTIMONY

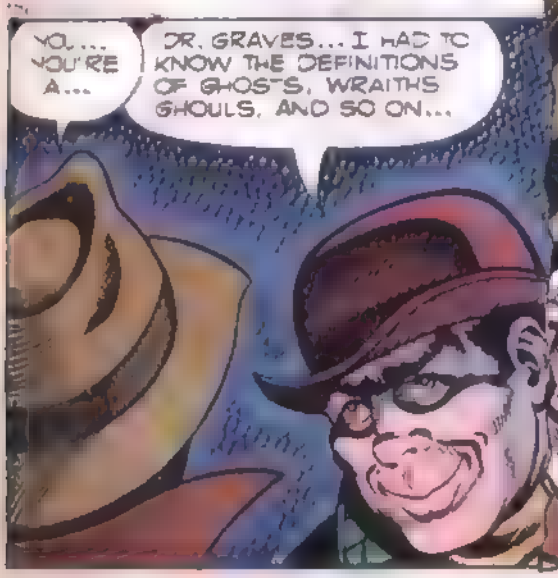
WHA... WHAT WAS THAT, DR. GRAVES?
A POLTERGEIST! A RESTLESS SPIRIT THAT MAKES ITS PRESENCE KNOWN BY THROWING OBJECTS OR BY CAUSING MYSTERIOUS SOUNDS!
KLANK
BEGONE!
NOTHING TO FRIGHTEN A MAN HERE, DR. GRAVES.
OBSERVE CLOSELY MR SMITH... THIS RECENTLY DECEASED LADY MIGHT BE RESTLESS IN HER BIER.
THIS, MY DEAR CHAP IS A WRAITH! THAT IS, A SPIRITUAL MANIFESTATION OFTEN OBSERVED SHORTLY BEFORE OR AFTER THE DEATH OF A MORTAL.
INJUSLA CRYPT DR. GRAVES.
THE EGYPTIANS PRESERVED THE BODIES OF THEIR DEAD BECAUSE THEY BELIEVED THEIR SPIRITS WOULD NEED THEM AGAIN.
THERE ARE OTHER KINDS OF GHOSTS, MR. SMITH. IN GERMANY, THE PEASANTS DESCRIBE A CREATURE WHICH THEY CALL A DOPPELGANGER...
SQUEEEK

"THIS WOMAN IS SAID BY HER RESPECTABLE NEIGHBORS TO BE BEWITCHED: WATCH CLOSELY...



...YOU SEE? IT'S A DOPPELGANGER! THAT IS AN APPARITION WHICH IS SEEN NEAR AT HAND WHILE THE REAL INDIVIDUAL IS FAR AWAY!" DR. GRAVES EXPLAINED.

...BECAUSE I DON'T KNOW WHICH *CATEGORY* I BELONGED. THANKS EVER SO MUCH FOR YOUR ASSISTANCE! *DROP IN AGAIN* SOME TIME.



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POWER OF LOVE

EVENIN', SIR MA M'
BE CAREFUL, DOC! THE GUY'S INSANE WITH GRIEF!
WE'VE GOT TO FIND HIS WIFE'S GRAVE! HE'LL GO THERE FIRST!
HERE, WHAT ARE YOU DOIN' IN MY...HELLO, DOCTOR! WHAT'S THE TROUBLE?
A PATIENT, DERANGED BY GRIEF, ESCAPED FROM THE HOSPITAL AND CAME HERE! TELL US WHERE THE GRAVE OF MRS. JOHN SMITH IS LOCATED!
IT'S RIGHT THERE, SIR! BLESS MY SOUL...THE GRAVE HAS BEEN OPENED!
THE POOR GUY...HE MUST'VE TAKEN HER OUT OF HERE! DID YOU SEE HIM? HE HAD DARK HAIR WITH A GRAY STREAK DOWN THE MIDDLE?
AYE! HE CAME BY... HAPPY AS A LARK STROLLIN WITH HIS GIRL! THEY MADE A REAL NICE COUPLE! UGH! I THOUGHT!

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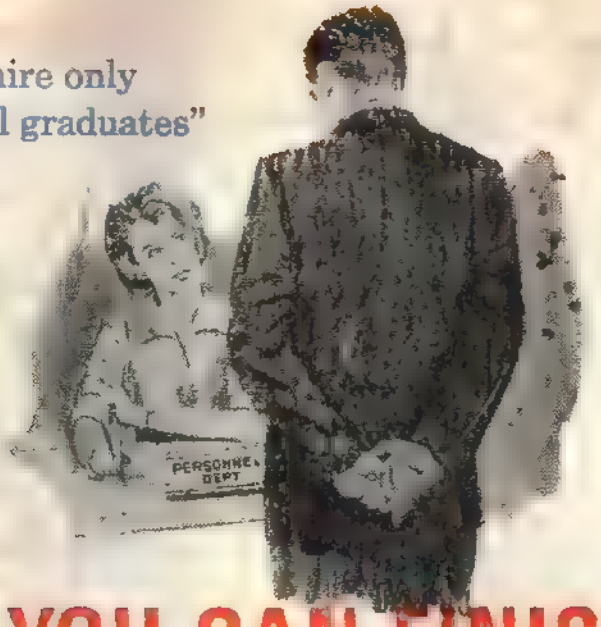

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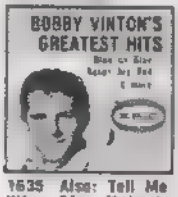

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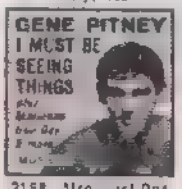

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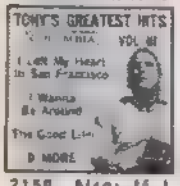

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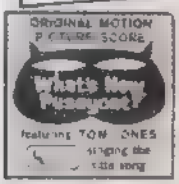

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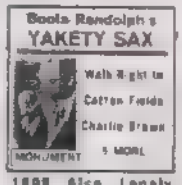

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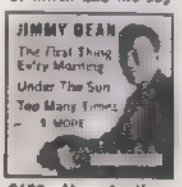

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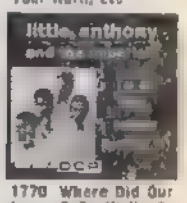

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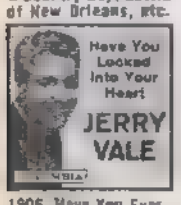

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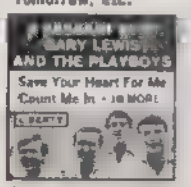

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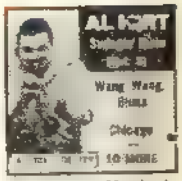

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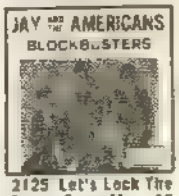

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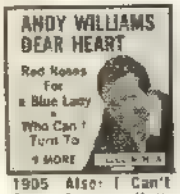

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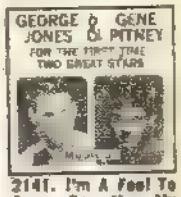

2141. I'm A Fool To Care, One Was My Name, 10 more

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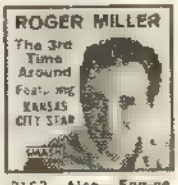

2162. Also: Engine Engine #9, The Good Old Days, etc

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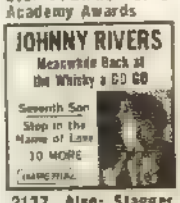

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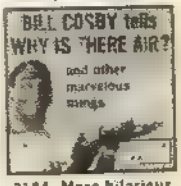

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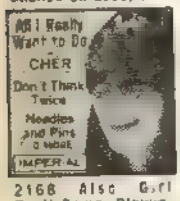

2166. Also: Girl Don't Come, Blowin In the Wind etc

1560. Also: Thank You Mama, Thank You Papa, etc

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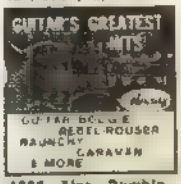
2030. Also: Danny Boy, The Wall, Wild Colorado, etc



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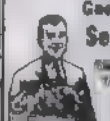

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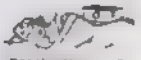

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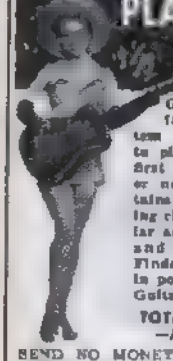

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SHE'S SO GULLIBLE. SHE CALLED HER LAWYER AND THE DOT DID WHAT SHE ASKED. FOOL!
THERE MRS. MULLINS KING DUMO IS THE LEGAL OWNER OF THIS PROPERTY AND ALL OF YOUR WEALTH. YOU ARE NOW A PENNILESS A DOW! IS THIS WHAT YOU WISHED?
IT'S MR. BERNS. YOU MAN — SIC.
IT ISN'T THIS EASY DUMO I'LL HAVE THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY LOOK INTO THIS.
BE CAREFUL FOOL! THERE ARE GREATER LAWS THAN THE WORDS IN YOUR STUPID BOOKS! NOW GET OUT! GET OFF MY PROPERTY.
JUST BEFORE THE FALL, THE LAWYER HAD FELT A COLD EVIL WIND, AND HE KNEW KING DUMO HAD CAUSED IT TO HAPPEN.
NOW, KING DUMO, I HAVE DONE AS YOU ASKED! YOU WILL BRING CHARLES BACK INTO THIS HOUSE AS YOU PROMISED!
LATER WOMAN. DO NOT BOTHER ME WITH THAT RIGHT NOW.
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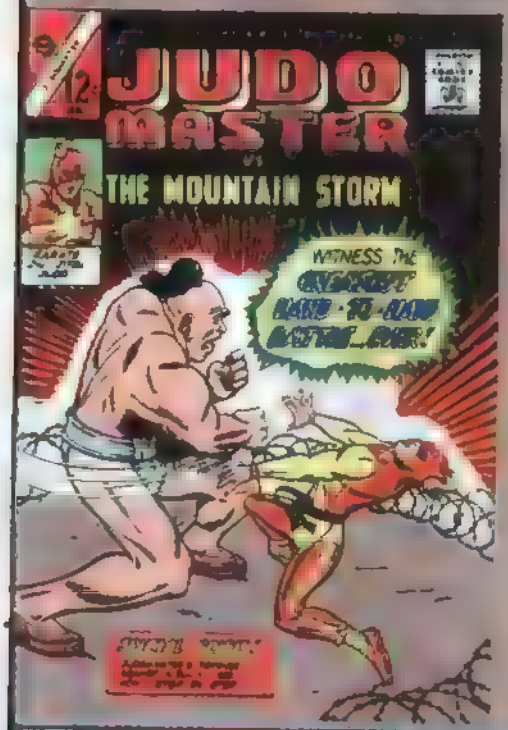
WE KID YOU NOT... THESE GREAT ACTION-HEROES ARE ON SALE NOW!



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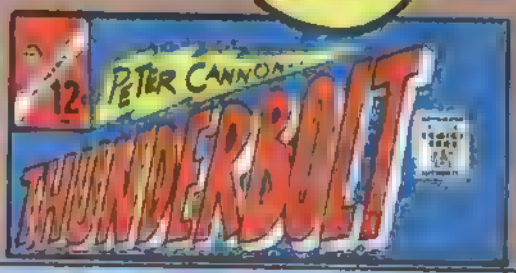
THE FIGHTIN' 5



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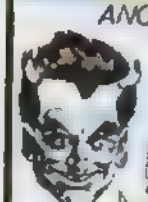

GHOSTLY TALES

DO YOU BELIEVE IN GHOSTS or? WELL COME WITH ME COME INTO MY PARLOR AND AT THE BEGINNING YOU'LL SCREAM FROM MY HOUSE "THE HAUNTED HOUSE" AS SURE AS MY NAME IS MR. L. DEDD YOU'LL NEVER FORGET THEM! SO COME TO A SEANCE COMMAND POST IN A GRAVEYARD WHERE "THE ARMY OF THE DEAD" TO ANCIENT ROMAN WHERE YOU'LL MEET GREAT CAESAR'S GHOST THEN THERE'S A TRIP TO THE MOON & OF COURSE AN EARTH ADVENTURE A SHOCKING POWERFUL TALE AND MORE MUCH MORE READY...?

IN THE WEEKS THAT FOLLOW, IT BECOMES QUITE EVIDENT TO MRS. MULLINS THAT KING DUMO AND STEENA HAVE NO INTENTION OF FULFILLING THEIR END OF THE BARGAIN... POOR WRETCH.
WHAT A FOOL I'VE BEEN... THEY TRICKED ME AND CHEATED ME OUT OF THE HOUSE IN WHICH CHARLES AND I WERE SO HAPPY...
POOF! PUFF! POOF!
CLEAN UP IN HERE. WHEN YOU ARE THROUGH SCRUB THE FLOORS
THEY CAN'T SUMMON CHARLES... NO ONE CAN! HE'S DEAD AND GONE FOREVER..BUT PERHAPS I CAN GET MY HOUSE BACK AGAIN.
SHE'S CALLING AN OLD ACQUAINTANCE.. A THEATRICAL FRIEND WHO HAS EARNED HIS LIVING CONJURING UP SPIRITS, AND SUCH ON STAGE..
I BEG OF YOU MICHAEL PLEASE HELP ME. I'M JUST A SLAVE IN MY OWN HOME.
I'LL TRY MY DEAR.
FROM WHAT YOU TELL ME, THIS FAKE USED AN OLD FILM AND A NET ON WHICH TO PROJECT THE IMAGE. WE'LL HAVE TO SUMMON CHARLES BACK OURSELVES AND SCARE THEM INTO RETURNING WHAT'S RIGHTFULLY YOURS. NOW LISTEN CAREFULLY. TONIGHT LEAVE THE BACK DOOR OPEN..
ACCORDING TO PLAN MRS. MULLINS WAITED UNTIL THE GYPSY KING WAS ASLEEP AND THEN...
MICHAEL HAS HAD AMPLE TIME TO PREPARE HIS PROPS FOR OUR SCENE..
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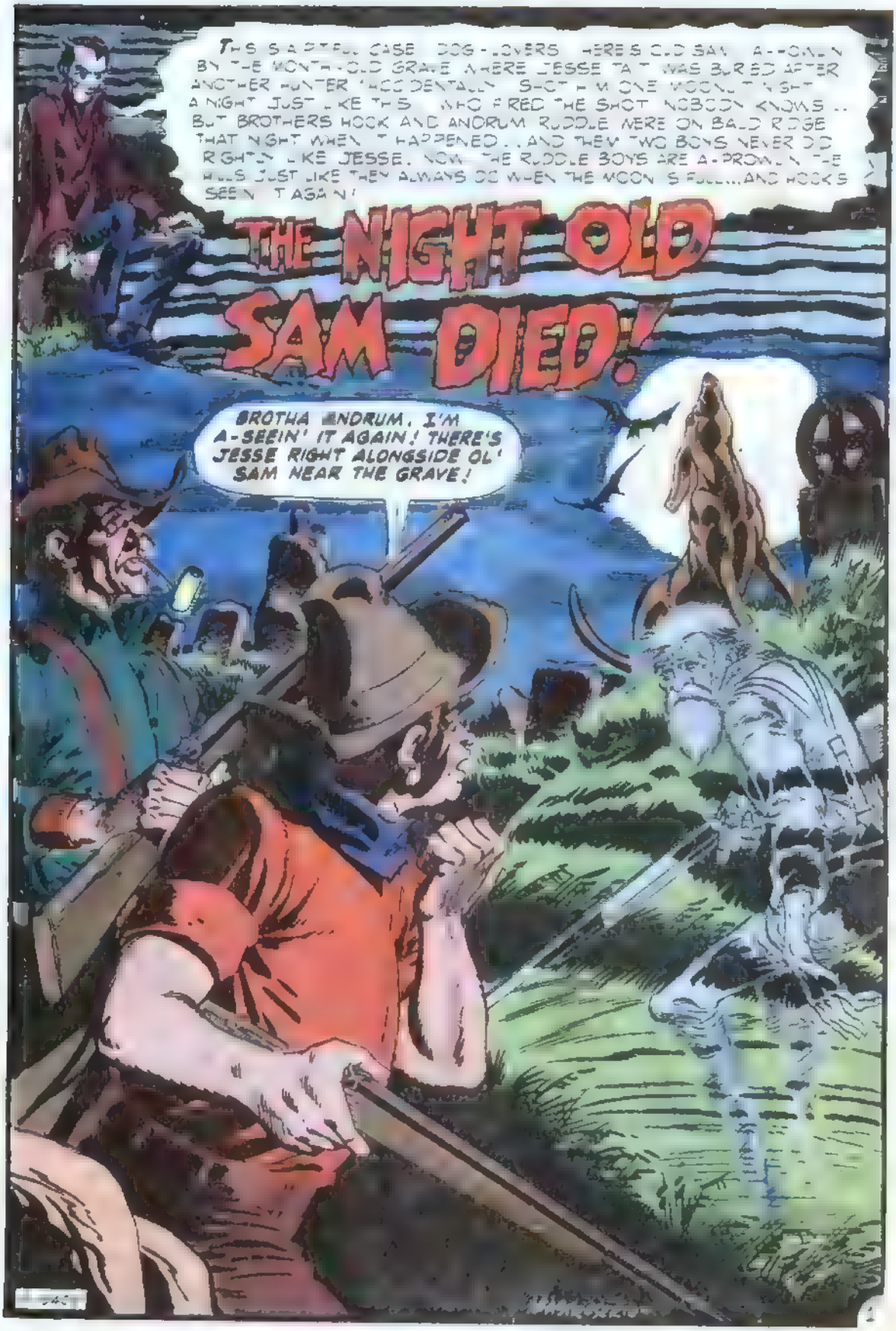
WATCH HER. DUMO HAS A SWITCH THAT MAKES THE CRYSTAL BALL GLOW. MRS. WILLIAMS DOESN'T KNOW WHERE IT'S BUT, IT SEEMS TO GLOW ANYHOW!
HERE GOES ..HOPE IT WORKS
CHARLES WHEREVER YOU ARE I NEED YOU
STOP HER, DUMO!
LISTEN TO HER. SHE REALLY THINKS SHE CAN CALL HER PRECIOUS CHARLES
CHARLES, THEY MADE ME THEIR SLAVE! I NEED YOU NOW MORE THAN EVER!
YOU HEARD ME, CHARLES YOU'RE HERE IN THIS ROOM WITH ME NOW! LET ME SEE YOU, MY DARLING!
GET AWAY FROM MY EQUIPMENT YOU FOOL.
HERE HE IS FOLKS ..CHARLES THE MISSING HUSBAND. MAYBE IT'S AN ILLUSION. DUMO DID IT ONCE. NOW THIS MICHAEL IS IN THE ACT. MAYBE
YOUR HUSBAND IS DEAD! HE CAN'T APPEAR!
YOU SLIGHTED ME KING DUMO
THROW THEM OUT CHARLES! THEN WE CAN BE HAPPY AGAIN
DUMO, DUMO! IT ISN'T A TRICK!
YOU FOUND THE PROJECTOR! CHARLES IS AN ILLUSION YOU CAN'T FOOL US

WATCH KING DUMO NOW! LOOKS LIKE HE DOESN'T KNOW HOW TO GET RID OF CHARLES NOW THAT HE'S ON THE SCENE!
NO... NO! YOU CAN'T FORGET ME. THERE!
CRASH!
GET OUT OF MY HOUSE.
CHARLES' GOT PRETTY VIOLENT THERE... THINGS ALMOST HIT THE GYPSY KING WITH THAT HEAVY STATUE. OH, WELL CHARLES NEVER DID LIKE IT ANYHOW!
CRASH!
NO! NO! GET AWAY FROM...
EEEAAGHHH!
I... DO ANYTHING YOU SAY... ANYTHING!! I'LL SIGN THE HOUSE BACK TO YOU... ONLY KEEP THAT... THAT THING AWAY FROM ME!
I DON'T KNOW IF I SHOULD LET YOU OFF SO EASY BUT PERHAPS... AFTER I ANSWER THE PHONE!
RING!
...AND I APOLOGIZE FOR NOT BEING ABLE TO KEEP MY APPOINTMENT; PERHAPS TOMORROW NIGHT..?
BUT... BUT IF YOU DON'T COME HERE WHO... WHAT... DID ??
WHO... OR WHAT, INDEED, MRS MULLINS?
THE END


THIS SAD SAD CASE DOG-LOVERS HERE'S OLD SAM A-COMIN' BY THE MONTH-OLD GRAVE WHERE JESSE TATE WAS BURIED AFTER ANOTHER HUNTER ACCIDENTALLY SHOT HIM ONE MOONLIT NIGHT A NIGHT JUST LIKE THIS WHO FIRED THE SHOT NOBODY KNOWS .. BUT BROTHERS HOCK AND ANDRUM RUDDLE HERE ON BALD RIDGE THAT NIGHT WHEN IT HAPPENED . . AND THEY TWO BOYS NEVER DID RIGHTLY LIKE JESSE. NOW THE RUDDLE BOYS ARE A-PROWLIN' THE HILLS JUST LIKE THEY ALWAYS DO WHEN THE MOON'S FULL...AND HOCK'S SEEN IT AGAIN!
THE NIGHT OLD SAM DIED!
BROTHA ANDRUM, I'M A-SEEIN' IT AGAIN! THERE'S JESSE RIGHT ALONGSIDE OL' SAM NEAR THE GRAVE!

YOU SOFT-HEARTED OLD FOOL. JESSE'S IN THE GRAVE NOT ON IT. ONE THING'S SURE WE'LL BOTH SLEEP EASIER 'THOUT THAT HOUND HOWLIN' UP HERE ABOVE OUR CABIN EVER' NIGHT! I'LL KILL HIM RIGHT NOW!
YOU SURE JESSE AIN'T THERE BROTHA?
NAY BROTHA. IF WE SHOOT OL SAM HERE FOLKS'LL BE CERTAIN-SURE WE WERE THE ONES DID IN JESSE TAT. IF OLD SAM HAS GOT TO DIE, LET IT BE SOMEWHERE FAR AWAY!
OLD SAM'LL FOLLOW THE FOX IN THE MANGROVE SWAMP. IF WE GET A RUNNIN HOCK COME ON!
NO NEED TO ROUSE THE FOX IN THE SWAMP BROTHA. THERE'S OL SAM'S BELLER.. HE'S A-COMIN'.. AN' JESSE IS WITH HIM AGAIN! LEMME OUTA HERE!
WILL YOU SHUT YORE MOUTH ABOUT JESSE HOCK! JESSE'S DEAD AN' BURIED!
WATCH T' OLD SAM. YOU'RE A-GONNA RUN DOWN ONE OF THEM NORTHLESS RUDDLE BROTHERS
BLAST NO FLEA-BITTEN HIDE SAM. GIT AWAY FROM ME!
OWOOOO OWOOOOO
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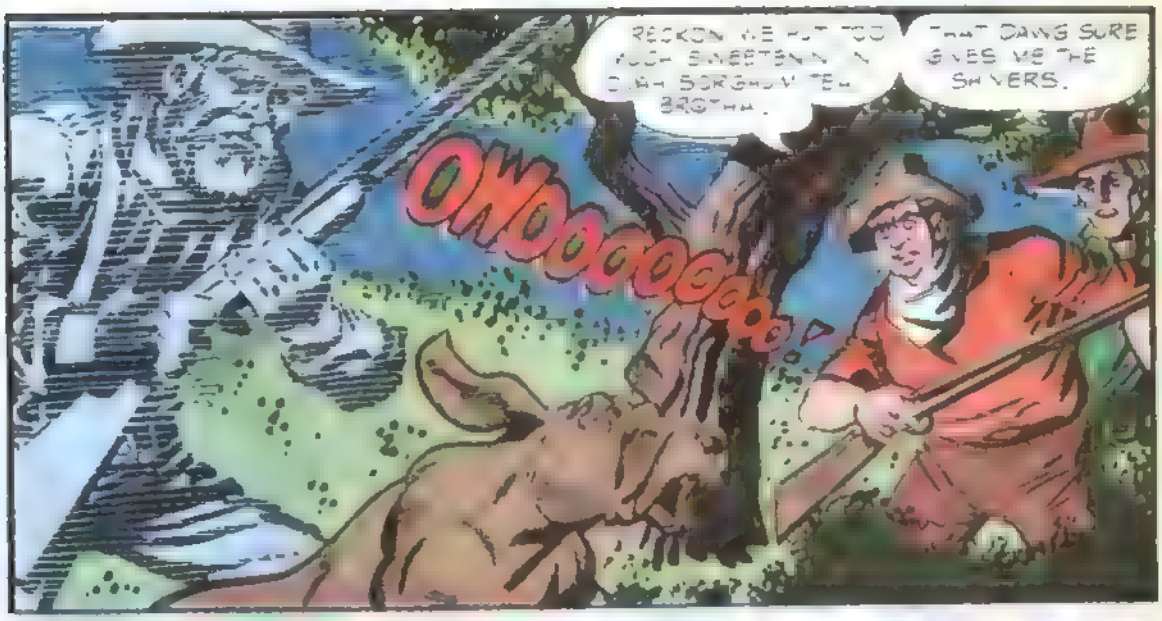
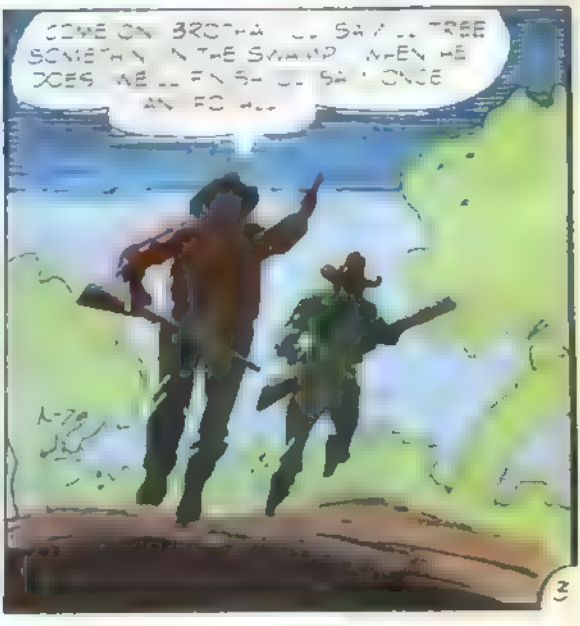

RECKON WE PUT TOO MUCH SWEETENIN IN DAH SORGHUM TEA BROTHA.
THAT DANG SURE GIVES ME THE SHIVERS.
OWOOOOOOO!

THE MOONLIGHT PLAYS TRICKS ON THE EYES HERE IN THE SWAMP FELLOW MOURNERS. YOU WILDLIFE LOVERS. OBSERVE THE GENTLE FOREST CREATURES IN THEIR NATURAL HABITAT..
ARGHHH!

ARGGHHHH!


COME ON BROTHA .. SAY .. TREE SCHEETHN IN THE SWAMP WHEN HE DOES ME .. FIN SH .. SAY ONCE AN FO ..

ANDRUM, OL SAM'S BELLERIN FLANN "CN GHT .. AN' THERE'S JESSE'S GHOST JUST AS PLAIN!
I SEE JESSE'S GHOST TOO! I FEEL KINDA ODD... MEBBE I'M COMIN' DOWN WITH CHILLS AN' FEVER OR SOMETHIN ...
GIT AROUND A WAYS WE DON'T WANT THAT OL DAWG TO GIT AWAY AN' KEEP US AWAKE ANY MO NIGHTS LIKE THIS.
HOOK RUDDLE HOLDS HIS FIRE AS ANDRUM MOVES AROUND TO THE OTHER SIDE TO MAKE SURE THE OLD DOG DOESN'T ESCAPE NASTY PAIR OF RASCALS AREN'T THEY?
WROOF! WROOF! WROOF!
THEY GOT OL SAM DEAD TO RIGHTS.
...OR DO THEY?
WROOF! WROOF! WROOF!
THESE MOUNTAINEER SHARP-SHOOTERS NEVER MISS FELLOW GHOULS. SAM'S SURELY DEAD THIS TIME..
GOT HIM 2...
BLAM
HE'S SUR...
BLAM

MOUNTAIN FOLK HEARD SHOOTING ON THE MOUNTAIN AND A NEIGHBOR WASN'T CUSSED AT BY THE BROTHERS WHEN HE WENT PAST THEIR CABIN, SO A SEARCH WAS MADE AND THEIR REMAINS WERE FOUND...
CAN'T FIGURE IT NOHOW... THEM RUDDLES WAS CRACK SHOTS .. EVEN IN PITCH BLACK .. BUT IT APPEARS AS THOUGH THEY SHOT ONE NOTHER.
WE .. BURY 'EM UP ON THE KNOLL WHERE JESSE TATE'S BEEN LAID TO REST
THE RUDDLES COFFINS WERE CARRIED UP THE HILL .. AND THAT'S WHEN OLD SAM WAS NOTICED BY SIMON BARD.
NO WONDER SAM AIN'T MAKIN' A FUSS. HE'S DEAD! BUT I HEARD HIM A-HOWLIN ON THE RIDGE AN' IN THE MANGROVE SWAMP LAST NIGHT!
YOU DIDN'T HEAR OL' SAM, JOSH! HE'S BEEN DEAD MORE'N TWELVE HOURS... RAINED AT TEN LAST NIGHT AND A MADE TRACKS IF HE MOVED AFTER THAT! NO TRACKS HERE!
MAYBE IT WAS HIS *GHOST* YOU HEARD, JOSH! HUNTIN WITH JESSE IN THE MANGROVE SWAMP WHEN THE RUDDLE BROTHERS SHOT EACH OTHER LIKE THEY DID.
THERE ARE *FOUR* GRAVES ON THE HILL NOW... AND OLD SAM NO LONGER NAPS BY HIS MASTER'S GRAVE.
THE WAITING IS OVER NOW AND OLD SAM AND JESSE-TAIT ONCE MORE ROAM THE HILLS ON THESE MOONLIGHT NIGHTS! IF YOU EVER GET DOWN IN THESE PARTS, LISTEN, YOU'LL HEAR OLD SAM'S VOICE!
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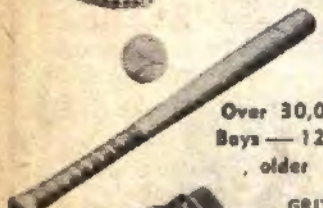

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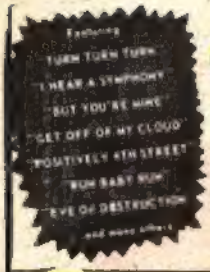

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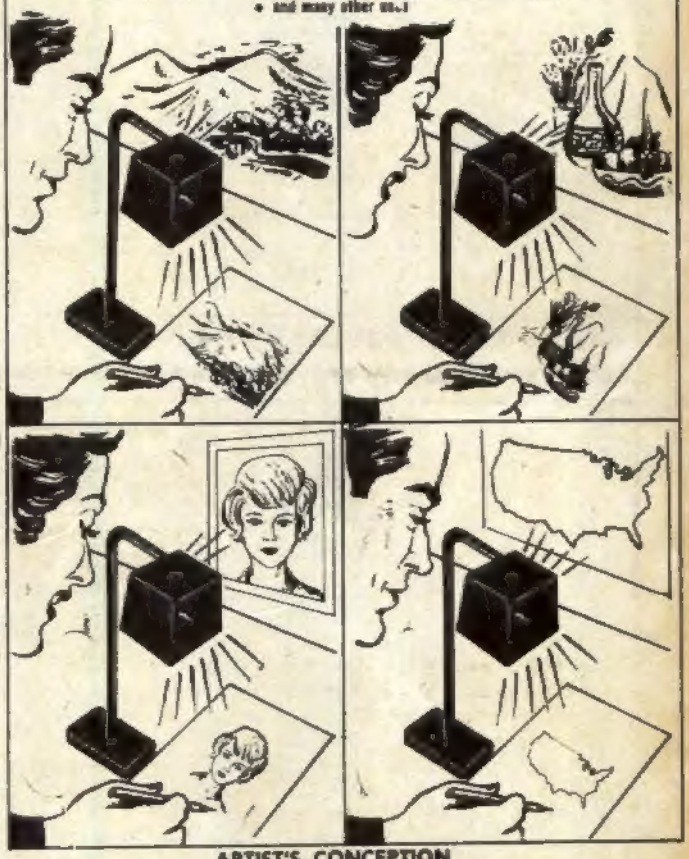

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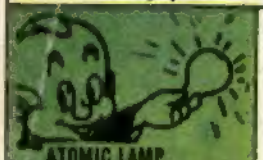

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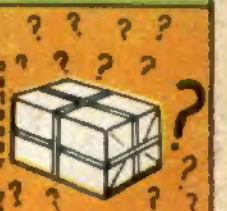

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